

North Norfolk Green Party general meeting Summary minutes

Sherringham Community Centre, NR26 8NP		
21st March 2024.		
Attendees; Stephen Green – SG Mike Bossingham – MB Edmund Wright – EW James Whitehead – JW (Zoom) Liz Dixon = LD (Zoom) Anne Filgate - AF (Zoom) Mike Filgate – MF (zoom) Diane Wiles – DW (zoom) Laura Lundahl – LL (zoom)		
Apologies; Mike Ward - MW Clare Wilson - CW Jan Davis - JD		
Notes	Actions	RP
1 Minutes		
Previous Minutes agreed as accurate.	To be uploaded to Website	RP
2. Action Point outstanding		
5. C – payment for leaflet distribution. Quotes coming in.	Carried over	LD/SG
6. C Second focus area	Erpingham to be confirmed	LD/SG
3 Stalls		
April Holt Sunday 7th May Fakenham (combine with leafletting) Sat 11th June Cromer Saturday 8th July Fakenham (combine with leafletting) Saturday 13 August North Walsham Thursday 15th September Fakenham (combine with leafletting) Saturday 14th October Holt Sunday 6th November Fakenham (combine with leafletting) Sat 9th December Cromer Whenever the lights are being turned on. 12:30 until 3pm. Stalls 10.30 – 13.30 followed by leafletting.	Remind members of stalls each month	LD & DW
5. Leafletting		
a) It was agreed to continue with Fakenham round at the moment, then Fakenham focussed Leaflet and Fakenham rounds again.	KM-S will be contacted and asked for content for the next Fakenham focussed leaflet.	LD
b) For Fakenham focus leaflet KM-S must feature.	Produce Fakenham Focussed Leaflets (Q3 2024) ready for June.	LD
c) If anyone has items for the next leaflet, please send to Liz	liz.dixon@northnorfolk.greenparty.org.uk	LD/SG
5. Action Days		

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a) Waveney Valley Action days are outlined on GP Members page and in March minutes	Liz is attending one, members please book themselves into sessions and share their plans on NNGP WhatsApp group to aid car sharing and support.	All
b) Police & Crime and Commissioner elections for Norfolk, 2 nd May 2024. Martin Schmierer is standing for the Green Party		
c) Norwich has council elections 2 nd May 2024	Please do go and support them and share plans on the WhatsApp Group.	All
6. Finance		
a) MB gave update	NNGP has a current balance of £1770.00, covering the cost of leaflets well and regular donations continue.	MB
7. General Election Strategy		
a) Leafletting for target area	Leafletting across NN using various mail out services was discussed, it was agreed the cost was prohibitive.	LD
b) Strategy carried over as proposer sent apologies		All
8. General Election Materials and Leaflets		
a) No current discussion points	Carried over	All
9. Annual GP Conference		
a) 6 – 8 September Manchester	The plan to support a younger member to attend remains. LD plans to attend, DW as Secretary would go but would need some financial assistance. MB said as treasurer the party can offer some limited support.	LD &DW
10. AOB		
a) Benjamin Court and other Campaigns supported by NNGP	MB updated the team on his health and on his support for this campaign, it was noted that the NNGP supports this campaign and associated actions.	MB
b) The GP position on Gaza was briefly discussed, and supported		
c) DW raised the issue of Legal Observer attendance for protests in Norfolk	To email the Green Cross Black information details with the minutes, re legal support for actions.	DW
d) Policy Fest	Available on the GP members website SG recommended these.	SG
e) Thwaite Common Mast SG gave a brief update on the difficulties of placing a mast in rural areas, especially in conservation areas	SG will update the meeting as it unfolds. NNGP is not currently supporting this either way but may need to be involved at some stage.	SG LD
f) Talk for next meeting	Agriculture and economy were suggested topics.	
11. Talk on Asylum and Immigration Policy From Laura Lundahl – Many thanks		
Meeting Closed at 20.55		
Next Meeting will be held in the same venue Thursday 18 th April 2024 @ 19.00.		